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BARNUM'S SHOW HIS OWN.

Barnum brings his own and only show to Decatur on Tuesday, August 6th. It is larger and better this year than ever before and entirely worthy of the great showman's reputation. It has been doubted that Barnum was the owner of his own show, but the following from the New York Express settles that question.

Is a chat with our reporter Mr. Barnum said that considerable talk had been made among showmen that he really had no interest in the exhibition, but simply allowed the use of his name. He declared it to be understood that this is not so; but that it is his exhibition. Mr. Barnum is very enthusiastic when speaking of the exhibition. His ambition now is to establish a "show" that will live after him and for years to come. An arrangement has recently been made, in reality perfected yesterday, by which his estate will continue the great Barnum exhibition, and thus it will become a permanent institution of our land, and will continue to draw to come, to travel throughout the country and astonish the multitudes as it is now doing.

There will be a Grand Street Pageant on the morning of the exhibition at 9 o'clock.

Arrangements have been made for the sale of tickets and reserved seats at Irwin's Drug Store, so that those who wish to avoid the crowd at the ticket window can purchase them there at a small advance.

THE STORM AT CLINTON.

An Elevator Partly Destroyed—Damage to Railroad Buildings.

The storm of last night seems to have extended a good many miles in all directions from this place, but was more severe to the north of us than in either all directions.

At Clinton the new machine shop and round house of the Illinois Central Railroad was unroofed, and the walls were more or less damaged. Bishop Bros' large elevator was also badly damaged by the lifting of a portion of the roof, and also by a portion of the walls falling.

The damage to the elevator was such as will necessitate its reconstruction in part. Hildeman & Son's mill was also blown down. Several private buildings were more or less damaged by the wind, but we could not learn that any were blown down. Fences and trees suffered to quite an extent, and the damage in the town will reach in thousands of dollars or more.

LAUREL. Some of the above was in type when we have been shown a dispatch by Mr. Werner, the American Express Company's agent at this place, giving fuller particulars. From this we learn that the Baptist church was completely wrecked by the wind, and also what is known as the Old Colored church, also the dwelling of Mr. Cunniff, and that of Mr. Kirk, were unroofed. Besides these, sundry outbuildings and fences were blown down. The damage is confined mainly to the eastern part of the city.

THUNDER, WIND AND RAIN. From about twelve o'clock last night until well toward morning the heavens were a livid sheet of flame, there being a continuous flash of electricity along the clouds, which was brilliant in the extreme. This wonderful display of electric light was attended by a continuous roar of thunder. In every direction black and threatening clouds laid heavily along the horizon, while the sky was completely overcast.

At intervals the rain fell in torrents, and a portion of the time there was a high wind, making the storm one of the most terrific of the season. There was not as heavy a fall of water as took place one week ago to night, though a large quantity fell. Occasionally a flash of lightning was accompanied by simultaneous thunder, in indicating a contact of the bolt with some object far away.

THINK FOR YOURSELF.

Thousands feel miserable, suffering from dyspepsia, a disordered stomach and liver, producing indigestion, heart burn, constipation, weakness, irregular appetite, low spirits, raising food after eating, and often ending in fatal attacks of fever. "Tarkenton's" Worm Syrup is the only remedy which is really restoring thousands, as Dr. C. A. Radin of Cincinnati has said by Dr. A. J. Stone.

A 25c bottle will convince you of its merits. Don't delay another hour after reaching this, but get a bottle, and your relief is as certain as you live. Will you doubt or will you continue to suffer? Think for yourself!

Prof. Parker's Pleasant Worm Syrup is perfectly safe and extremely palatable. No physic required. Costs 25 cents. Try it. [July 1 d&w]

PERSONAL.

Mr. D. B. Burroughs, proprietor of the Mazell House, at Clinton, is in town today. He is a genuine democrat and is the principal party manipulator for Dr. Witt county. He is looking after the interests of his county, and relates to the nomination of candidates for senator and representatives, and avails himself of the meeting of the Macon county democracy in county convention this day to carry his point.

Judge Cameron, of Hartsfield, is in the city today.

Don J. A. Hale, of Macon, came down on the 10 o'clock train this forenoon.

A New Lot of Parasols.—14 inch Cambric Parasols, at 10 cents, 16 in 15c, 18 in 20c, 20 in 25c, 22 in 30c, 24 in 35c, 14 in Scotch Cambric, 30c, 16 in 40c, 18 in 50c, 20 in 55c, 22 in 70c, 24 in 80c. Serge, 20 in 75c, 22 in 80c, 24 in 85c, 26 in 90c, 28 in 100c, 30 in 110c, 32 in 120c, 34 in 130c, 36 in 140c, 38 in 150c, 40 in 160c, 42 in 170c, 44 in 180c, 46 in 190c, 48 in 200c, 50 in 210c, 52 in 220c, 54 in 230c, 56 in 240c, 58 in 250c, 60 in 260c, 62 in 270c, 64 in 280c, 66 in 290c, 68 in 300c, 70 in 310c, 72 in 320c, 74 in 330c, 76 in 340c, 78 in 350c, 80 in 360c, 82 in 370c, 84 in 380c, 86 in 390c, 88 in 400c, 90 in 410c, 92 in 420c, 94 in 430c, 96 in 440c, 98 in 450c, 100 in 460c, 102 in 470c, 104 in 480c, 106 in 490c, 108 in 500c, 110 in 510c, 112 in 520c, 114 in 530c, 116 in 540c, 118 in 550c, 120 in 560c, 122 in 570c, 124 in 580c, 126 in 590c, 128 in 600c, 130 in 610c, 132 in 620c, 134 in 630c, 136 in 640c, 138 in 650c, 140 in 660c, 142 in 670c, 144 in 680c, 146 in 690c, 148 in 700c, 150 in 710c, 152 in 720c, 154 in 730c, 156 in 740c, 158 in 750c, 160 in 760c, 162 in 770c, 164 in 780c, 166 in 790c, 168 in 800c, 170 in 810c, 172 in 820c, 174 in 830c, 176 in 840c, 178 in 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DEPARTMENT.

A New variety of fine white Vests, ...

Smooze the dogs that howl at night ...

This storm of last night played havoc ...

The churches of Danville have pre- ...

The Democratic vice workers were on ...

JOHN DILLON is booked to appear at the ...

Two high wind which prevailed last ...

SHEEP KILLED BY DOGS. Last night four ...

Extremely Personal.—We had a very ...

TRAINS DELAYED.—Passenger train No ...

Boy the Thunder Road.—Every year ...

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BY JAMES REED DILL.

In that time, sweet singer, when ...

Some friends families there must be ...

Oh! these—these friends, will they not come ...

Transcendent singer! all life's years ...

Oh! dearer to my heart would be ...

At some lonely hour, when ...

Downward at twilight—day ...

The recovery of digestion and the ...

Order of the Day.—A few short speeches ...

The schools will run a Union Hurdler ...

Committee on Order.—Nonh Jacobs, J ...

"ITCHING PILLS."

"I WAS A GREAT SUFFERER from Itching ...

Received this day, by ...

CITIZENS, AWAKE!

A big lot of Dress Goods, Table Linens ...

For the ...

For the ...

Beautiful Planes.

P. T. Locke has just received some more of those truly ...

Valuable Real Estate.

H. B. DUFFEE, Office with Warren & Drake.

A SNUG RESIDENCE.

A NICE LITTLE RESIDENCE.

TWENTY LOTS.

THIRTY CHOICE LOTS.

SIX GOOD LOTS.

EIGHT LOTS.

HALF ACRE LOTS.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

IN BANKRUPTCY.—No. 2323.

NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS.

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